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DICTATORSHIP HAS COLLAPSED

-Arrest of Revolutionary Leaders Ordered-Ebert Reported to Have Returned to Berlin.

(By The A. P.) The collapse of the reaction-

ary dictatorship in Berlin has been quickly followed by the resumption of authority by the old government. Its chief task for the moment, it appears, will be to deal with the disordered conditions which the Spartacans are endeavoring to prolong for their own purpose.

constitutional regime, was back on the scene in Berlin, have been followed by reports that President Ebert also had returned to the capital from Stuttgart. Behind his return Vice Premier Schiffer of the Bauer cabinet took over the direction of affairs relinquished by Dr. Kapp when he gave up his effort to establish a new gov-

Reports are current in Berlin that ex-Chancellor Kapp had committed suicide but these so far lack con-firmation. His persecution, to-gether with that of other leaders of the reactionary movement, is said to firmation. have been ordered by President

Von Seecht, President General. Ebert's chief of staff, has been named mmander of government forces in

Announcements by Dr. Kapp, as well as official statements from the officials of the Ebert government reflect the fear of a radical uprising in Germany. In fact Dr. Kapp's announcement stated he had resigned from the direction of affairs so that the country might be enabled to fight From various cities come reports of uprisings of workers, yet resumed full control an attack | cians.

by the Reds is feared. Throughout Germany radical elements have in many places taken over direction of affairs, at least temporar-

SUGGESTS WIFE

Also Entitled to a Divorce

The charge of infidelity made against Mangaret Heffernan of this city by Stephen J. Heffernan of this city was not proven, according to the report of State Referee Roraback filed today in the Superior Court. The referee recommends that the wife be awarded a divorce on her cross-com-plaint. The Heffernans were married Dec. 19, 1907, the wife's maiden name wing been Margaret Kiely.

ground of desertion. She was allowed inch guns. They will be 876 feet the custody of four minor children long over all, 30 feet wide, will disbut it was signified that she is not have 180,000 have 180,000

TRAIN DERAILED

short distance south of this place. The 21 knots and their horsepower 28,500. acoldent, which was due to a broken brake beam, occurred as the train was crossing a bridge spanning a stream, but the locomotive, tender and bag-office a statement of his intention to gage car, which left the track, cleared make claim against the city for a fall the bridge before derailment and the sustained on the south side of Crestwo passenger coaches remained upon the rails, thus averting disastrous conthe sidewalk was in a dangerous con-

Old Government Quickly Resumes Authority FIND EX-CZAR'S SI TER LIVING IN A BOX CAR

ALLOW MOTHER TO SEE CHILDREN

Custody of Minors Split Between Contestants.

Ruth Baker Kupfer, who was recomnended to have a divorce from Walker S. Kupfer of Lafayette street after tonal headquarters of the Red Cross a spectacular trial, will be allowed to today stated that this survivor of the world standing on the part of the navy destanding on the part of the navy destands of the navy dest see the two minor children during the Christmas and Easter vacations and may take them to her home in Kit-Despatches stating that Minister of may take them to her home in Kit-Defense Noske, the strong arm of the

These arrangements were agreed upon by lawyers in the case and State
Referee Roraback approved them in
his report handed down today. This report goes to the Superior court for onfirmation.

The agreement provides that the mother shall see the children for three hours a day for one week during the Christmas and Easter vacations. She will see them at the home of Mrs. Florence Allard, 794 Lafay ettes treet.

It was agreed that Mrs. Kupfer shall pay her own expenses when she comes from Maine in the summer to get the children. The husband must go to Maine to bring the children back to this city and he agrees to pay his own expenses,

Referee Roraback in commenting upon the case said he was not very favorably impressed by the case of Walker S. Kupfer, who asked for a divorce on the ground of cruelty. The referee said the lawyers acted wisely in withdrawing Kupfers' petition. He declared he found the wife's charges of cruelty against her husband were true.

No comments were made by Referee Roraback regarding the introduction of the names of Dr. Philip J. Curran

Washington, March 18 — Grand Duchess Olga, sister of the late Czar Nicholas of Russia, has been found by American Red Cross workers living in a box car near Norvorossisk. south Russia, it was announced to-day at the headquarters of the Amercan Red Cross here. The Red Cross announcement fol-

the last Czar of Russia, and one of the three surviving members of the House of Romanoff, has been found by American Red Cross workers. by American Red Cross workers liv-ng in a box car near Norvorossisk, South Russia. A report reaching na-t onal headquarters of the Red Cross conquered by the Bolsheviki, giving such assistance as she could, although berself clad in rags and grateful for

Washington, March 18 - Senator Walsh of Massachusetts said today he was not a candidate for the Democratic nomination for president. He characterizes "local enthusiasm" an-nouncements yesterday by W. J Buckley of Southbridge, Mass., and Major H. P. Shea of Fitchburg that they were candidates for district delegates to the national convention

APPEALS COURT'S ACTION.

Aggrieved at the action of the Probate court of this city in allowing a \$4,800 claim against the estate of and advices from Berlin state that of the names of Dr. Philip J. Curran and forces under command of Spartacist leaders are marching on that tacist leaders are marching on that tagist leaders are marching on that case on the ground that Mrs. Kupfer was filed by Margaret Beck of this city. As the Ebert troops have not bad been too friendly with the physicity. Feeney died last year without

AMERICA BUILDS SPLENDID FLEET

Washington, March 18-The United States, American naval experts say, is building more warship tonnage than w other nation

Twelve superdreadnoughts and six Referee Finds Mrs. Taylor 665,400 tons, are under construction in private and navy yards. They will carry a total of 152 sixteen-inch rifles and 24 fourteen-inch rifles and all will have the new electric drive

With the completion of this fleet, probably in 1923, the United States will have a battle force of 19 superdreadnoughts and six battle cruisers in the first line and eight dreadnoughts and a number of smaller bat-tleships in the second line.

American naval men says among the world's fighting craft the six battle cruisers and six of the new In the diverce action brought by William P. Taylor of this city against Julis May Taylor of Milford, Referee Roraback also found in favor of the wife. He recommended that Mrs. Taylor be awarded a divorce on the recommended of desartion. She was allowed by themselves. The cruisers will have a speed of about 33 knots—37 land miles—and each will carry eight 16 traylor by the service of the new battleships—the South Dakota, Montana, North Carolina, Massachusetts, Indiana and Iowa—will be in a class by themselves. The cruisers will have a speed of about 33 knots—37 land miles—and each will carry eight 16 traylor of desartion.

horsepower 60,000. These ships and the battle cruisers are just now being gotten under way but most of the other six battleships are well on the road to completion. BY BRAKE BEAM The Maryland and West Virginia will carry eight 16 inch rifles each, will be 624 feet long, 93 feet broad and displace 32,600 tons. Their speed will be 21 knots and horsepower 29,-

The Tennessee, to be commissioned Redding. Conn., March 18.--A New The Tennessee, to be commissioned york, New Haven and Hartford pas- in May, and the California will carry train from New York and twelve 14 inch rifles and will be South Norwalk to Danbury, due here at 9:17 this morning, was detailed a 32,000 tons. Their speed also will be

John S. Wrabel, of 68 Hallam dition at the time.

Indian Crack Shot Slew 378 Germans of the Emergency ambulance. Dr. B. J. Burns responded and after administering treatment advised the girl to go to the hospital which

or awa. Ont., March 18—Corporal were detailed as snipers. He receiv-panels Pegahmagabow, one of more ed the military medal with two bars than 4,000 Canadian Indians who for his exploits.

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Louis Diezki, of 36 Columbus place

Inquiry disclosed the fact that Diez it's roommate came in about 12 o'clock last night and, undressing in the dark so he would not awaken his roommate, knocked his hand against the gas fixture and opened it.

U. S. STEAMER

her calls for assistance and was scuttled there. Reports today from the vicinity were that she was still burn- and 30,000 adults.

The Olockson, a vessel of gross tons, is owned by the U. S. Shipping Board and operated by the Pacific Steamship Co. She was built on the Pacific Coast, and launched in September of last year. Radio advices to the naval communication service in New York state that she was

GIRL FAINTS IN FRONT OF HOME

Helen Bailey, 22, of 110 Williston

street, collapsed while starting from tusion of the arm was treated and her home about 11 o'clock this morn- he was taken home. The damage her home about 11 o'clock this morn- he was taken home. The damage supported and directed may be counting and fell unconscious to the side- done to the garbage plant was not walk. She recovered in a short time extensive walk. She recovered in a short time extensive. but was hysterical and a call was sent she refused to do.

DOCTORS OUGHT SIMS HAS TO SERVE LONG **APPRENTICESHIP**

Cincinnati, O., March 18— Physicians should serve an ap-prenticeship before they are per-mitted to perform an operation, declared Dr. Charles L. Bonifield, Professor of Gynecology Ohio Miami Medical College, addressing physicians of that institution here.

"No one tries to be a carpen-ter, bricklayer, machinist or plasterer without serving an appren-ticeship," he said. "This should be the case in modern surgery. No physician should be permitted to enter the operating room to perform an operation until he has served a long and faithful apprenticeship with a physician who has had considerable experi-

ence in surgery.
"The surgeon who knows only the science and nothing of the art when he begins to practice by himself will fill many untimely

FOUND IN ROAD

Condition Condition Serious.

Esther Yates, 76 years old, of 220 hospital and the ambulance in charge of Dr. B. J. Burns took the woman to St. Vincent's hospital.

At the hospital this afternoon if

was stated that the woman was is a coma and seemed unable to state coherently anything connected with her condition. Physicians had not succeeded at press hour in diagnos-ing her case but believed her condition serious.

FOR BURGLARY

Further Investiga-

rested and arraigned in the Juvenile London and by Mr. Hoover. court today, charged with theft. The court today, charged with theft. The case was continued for two days in plied me with no plans or policy covorder that the circumstances may be ering our participation in the war for further investigated.

The youthful burglar told detectives this morning that he left his home in New York three weeks ago, and since that time has been employed in the local office of the American Railway Express Co. He earned \$12 and succeeding to an express. a week, and according to an expense Europe for nearly a month after was account which he showed the police, was declared, and 2½ months elapwas obliged to pay out \$11.60 for subsing before thirty vessels arrived.

The boy had a large amount of miswas found in a semi-conscious condi-tion this morning at 4 oclock, over-all of which he claims was brought the distribution was given by Dr. B. J.

That the navy department violated fundamental military principles in attempting to formulate war plans of operation without having sufficient without having sufficient without having sufficient without nished room in Broad street, and has operation without having sufficient without having oyle and the main later removed to made weekly trips to New York to knowledge of the whole situation.

t. Vincent's.

30,000 PERSONS

Dvinsk, March 18 - Thirty thousand persons have been saved from starvation here by the timely arrival of an American Red Cross relief unit to be allowed attiment.

Taylor charged that his wife had been out with other men and was particularly fond of a man known as "Blondy." This was denied by the wife. She said Taylor had treated her cruelly and had finally deserted her in December, 1916.

These ships and the battle cruisers

horsepower.

The six super-dreadnoughts will be the super-dreadnoughts will be the six super-dreadnoughts will leaving Balboa. The Olockson was nant of the population was demolish- tive in Europe, failed to follow sound Soup kitchens have been reopened

and are now feeding 17,000 children

GOVERNOR FLIES OFF; HURTS MAN

oilers at the garbage plant in Asylum street, caused a governor to fly off this morning about 8 o'clock, striking Burton Bradford, 73 North avenue, a glancing blow on the right arm, then going through the wall of the building and landing in a field 500 yards eway from the plant. Bradford was taken to the Emergency hosp!tal where a slight con-

WOMAN HURT WHEN MOTOR IS CAPSIZED war contaken.

FINISHED CHARGES

There Are Thirteen Counts In Indictment.

of the navy department's conduet of the war, Rear Admiral Sims laid before the Senate Investigating committee today thirteen specific counts in his indictment charging mistakes and costly delays.

Reiterating his declaration that his criticisms were aimed at no individual but that "responsibility for any fail-ures" rested upon "The navy depart-ment as an organization," Admiral

Sims said: partment as to where its efforts should be directed—if I have shown that the navy was hampered by a lack of preparedness, by lack of essential plans, and by being held back indeed to count upon in the future—then I will feel that I have been fully justified in submitting my letter (to ecretary Daniels) of January 7. If any individual was responsible Admiral Sims said, the fact would necessarily have to be developed by

war. The admiral's summary of the charges follow:

persons who knew the "inner work-ings" of the department during the

war had been going on for nearly three years and our entry into it had been imminent at least from February 2, 1917, the vessels of the navy were not ready for war service when the United States entered.

"That the first few months after America entered the war were ex-Judge Continues Case For remely critical ones for the whole allied cause, due to the success of enemy submarines.

"That this critical situation was made clear to the Navy Departmen a few days after America entered the Apprehended as he was leaving war and repeatedly, thereafter by Franklin's grocery store, 613 Water cables and leaters, supported by indestreet, at an early hour this morning, pendent advices to the government a 15 year old New York boy was ar- from the American ambassador in

> three months after our entry therein. "That having information as to the

"That the navy department violated

not supported during the most critica. months of the war either by adequate personnel or by adequate forces that could have been supplied.

"That the navy department violated fundamental military principles in lispersing forces away from the critical area in order to meet diversions of "That the navy department in the

first months of the war attempted the direction of details although from Warsaw. When the Americans 3,000 miles distant from the scene of arrived with the Polish army they active operations where the situation active operations where the situation High Pressure Sends It was changing from day to day. "That the navy department, in not

clearly defining the responsibility and delegating authority to its representaprinciples, common alike to the business and milltary professions. "That the navy department by con-

trolling the operations and move-ments of certain forces within the war area violated the fundamental military principle of unity of com-

"That the navy department failed to keeps its representative abroad be opened in a week as the river is completely informed as to its plans clearing rapidly in its lower reaches affecting dispatch and disposition of and there are n forces in the war zone, and frequent of Middletown. ly reported decisions in such matters through information gained from portant, he added, to be affected by sources other than its representative such theories.

Admiral Sims said he was not insensible to the "splendid work done by the navy at large or the various bureaus and other offices of the navy department." His statements were directed "almost entirely" to point-ing out defects in the administration of the navy department during the first few months of the war, he said.

"The navy, if loyally and properly tions of the service," he added, and of the officers and men of the naval militia and naval reserve he said that "without their invaluable help much of the work done by the navy in this war could not have been under- Margaret

"The outstanding feature of their

EXTREME DANGER FROM BOLSHEVISM

Cohlenz, March 18-Gustav Noske, Minister of Defense in the Ebert cabinet arrived in Berlin by airplane late yesterday, having made the trip from Stuttgart. General Von Seecht, chief of staff for the constitutional government, has replaced General Von Luett-

witz as commander at Berlin, according to advices.

The danger from Bolshevism seems to be extreme. The Kappist troops are withdrawing from Berlin and forces commanded by Spartacan leaders are expected to attack the city at any time. A concentration of all parties to fight Bolshevism has been formed, only the independent socialists not being included. Elections will be held no later than June, according to latest despatches from

Washington, March 18—Concluding his long arraignment SAVAGE FIGHTING IS REPORTED AT GERA

The Hague, March 18-Soviet republics have been formed at Dort-mund, in Westphalia and at Gera, 35 miles southwest of Leipsic, according to despatches received here. At the latter place which was formerly the capital of the principality of Reuss-Schleiz, there has been savage fight-ing, it is said.

In the fighting at Dresden fifty per-ons have been killed and 495 wounded, reports state, and the city is

Copenhagen, March 18-A message eccived here from Dortmund, Germany, says:

"Heavy fighting occurred here this morning between regular troops which arrived during the night, aided by members of the citizen guard, and strated that victory was won not been near St. Michael's cemetery this morning by a passenger in a troiley car. The man, whose name was not ascertained, called up Emergency stances which we would be constrained. whelmed the regulars today at noon. and disarmed them, as well as the citizens guard and security guard. Workmen's forces are now in possession of the town. Many have been killed and wounded but the number of casualties has not been ascertain-

> and the town is quiet at present."
>
> Advices from Leipsic state that this morning occupied a number of one occasion he threw her out of bed "That in spite of the fact that the the center of the city, which is being Charles W. Loehr, a frien the center of the city, which is being defended by volunteer troops. Lively fighting has been going on in the streets since 4 o'clock this after-the husband was angry at something she had done.

Strenuous Action Because His Supper Was Not Ready.

That Henry Pluff dragged his wife round by the hair because she did not have supper ready, was the testiat 1013 Howard avenue, charged her husband with intolerable cruelty. Referee Roraback resommended to the Superior court that she be awarded a divorce and \$8 a week alimony for seven years.

Mrs. Pluff declared her husband once attacked her and cut her on the There has been no plundering neck although he knew she had been and the town is quiet at present."

Advices from Leipsic state that armed workmen who yesterday and face and kicked her on the body. On

SENATE LEADERS READY FOR TEST

BELIEVE MEN

Alleged to have assaulted and robbed ee Sing, a Chinees laundryman, of Jones avenue, Monday night, Leonard Capozza, of 112 George street, and Conclude the controversy which has been before the Senate many months. retsed last night and are now being charges of breach of the peace.

are being held, took place early Mon- ervations submitted by the Republi-"That the navy department failed day evening in Sing's shop in Jones to appreciate the military value of avenue. The aged Chinaman was brugare added uncertainty to the outtally beaten by two hold-up men, and come of the ratification vote, despite

When taken into custody last night, reserva Capozza and Visconti denied that they "That the department's representa-tive with the allied admiralties was \$1,000, but in the City court this morning were reduced to \$500. Another hearing will be held Saturday in the

CONN. RIVER IS RISING RAPIDLY

Through Wall Into Field.

Hartford, Conn., March 18-At noon today the Connecticut river was aat 15 feet, 3 inches above low water mark and steadily rising. A height of at least 16 feet is expected by Friday morning.

It was said at the office of the Hartford and New York Transportation company that navigation might and there are many open spots north

"Hindsight must not be blindsight,"

nearly 200 large printed pages and it shall be done during the coming summer.

Washington, March 18 .-- Final vote on ratification of the peace treaty comed imminent today. While plans were not being made for a showdown before tomorrow and perhaps not until Saturday, Senate leaders were prepared to put the pact to a test immedately, if all the remaining reserva-tions were disposed of before adjournment. A night session was regarded as likely if it should seem possible to conclude the controversy which has The presence of William Jennings Bryan and his influence to persuadthe Democrats to accept the best com-The robbery for which the two men promise they could obtain on the res-

policy toward future European wars. IN EVIDENCE

John T. King, presidential campaign manager for Gen. Wood some Bridgeport, and alleged seeker after the state chairmanship and position as delegate to the national convention, was very much in evidence at the city hall this morning, being closeted with City Clerk J. A. H. Rob-inson for a considerable period of time and seeing at varying intervals lesser lights of the Republican party.

COMMITTEE ON SIDEWALKS AND STREETS TO MEET

The streets and sidewalks commitee is to meet with the aldermen representing the various districts next Thursday at which time will be heard requests for street improvemets in the various parts of the city. Probably the latter part of next week the committee will make a tour of inspection through the various sections of the city where work is being he declared.

Admiral Sims' direct testimony filled planned to decide finally just what

Meanest Burglars Fight Little Girl

New York, March 18-This is the who was endeavoring to stifle her

New York.

Margaret Hagney, 12 years old, was a seep in her home in West 25th St., last night, when she was awakened ments later broke into the house and

story of a little girl's brave fight screams, and finally was knocked unagainst the two meanest burglars in conscious with a blow on the fore-